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MEDICAL REPORT

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is a 33-year-old gentleman who is a known case of complete paraplegia due to thoracic myelomeningocele. The myelomeningocele was operated in Germany at the age of 3 months. In 2007, he also had surgery with T8-L4 fixation for congenital scoliosis. In December 2017, the patient had revision surgery for T11-T12 pseudoarthrosis with replacement of the previous instrumentation and re-instrumentation.

The patient was reassessed last on 3 April 2019 together with Prof. Halm. While in general, he is doing well he is still complaining on and off pain over the upper thoracic spine. However, the pain seems to be manageable with on and off NSAIDs.

His x-rays were reassessed. Despite the breakage of the upper screw of the construct, the spine looks stable. He was advised for the time being for a conservative attitude. In case the pain worsened he might need revision surgery.

At present, the patient has complete paraplegia, ASIA score A, with double sphincter incontinence. The power and sensation in the upper limbs is normal. In this regard, he might drive a car, however, the car should be customized for him and the fact that he has scoliosis and contracture in flexion of the lower limbs should be taken into consideration. In case he could get such a car, he needs assessment and approval from Road Traffic Authority.

This report was issued as per patient's request.

Yours sincerely

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